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SUBJECT: UN REQUEST PAYMENT OF U.S. ASSESSMENTS FOR 15 PEACEKEEPING OPERATIONS

USUN has emailed to Department (IO/PSC-Tammy Pomerleau and EUR-IO/EX/FM-Alice Green) a copy of a note and four related annexes from the SYG dated July 27, 2009 concerning the financing of 15 peacekeeping operations. Annex One contains current amounts payable by the U.S. Government as follows:

Operation	Amount(\$)
UN Disengagement Observer Force (UNDOF) 07/01/2007 to 06/30/2008 (additional) 07/01/ to 12/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	655,086 6,103,801
-	6,758,887
UN Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL) 07/01/2009 to 08/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other	26,645,017
income for the period ended 06/30/2008	 26,645,017
UN Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara (MINURSO)	
07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	7,253,533
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UN Peacekeeping Force in Cyprus (UNFICYP) 07/01/2009 to 12/15/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other	3,834,061
income for the period ended 06/30/2008	 3,834,061
UN Observer Mission in Georgia (UNOMIG)	3,634,061
07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	2,680,968
-	2,680,968
UN Interim Administration Mission in	
Kosovo (UNMIK) 07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other	6,343,253
income for the period ended 06/30/2008	 6,343,253
UN Mission in the Democratic Republic of	0,343,233
the Congo (MONUC) 07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009	182,504,313
-Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	-
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UN Mission In Liberia (UNMIL) 07/01/2009 to 09/30/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	38,014,296
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UN Operation in Cote d'Ivoire (UNOCI) 07/01/2009 to 07/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other	11,108,505
income for the period ended 06/30/2008	(5,062,669)
	6,045,836
UN Stabilization Mission in Haiti (MINUSTAH) 07/01/2009 to 10/15/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	48,365,207
-	48,365,207
UN Mission in Sudan (UNMIS)	10,303,207
07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	129,887,038
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UN Integrated Mission in Timor-Leste (UNMIT) 07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009	27,911,082
-Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	 27,911,082
African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID) 07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009 -Remainder of credit from unencumbered balant and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	36,117,991
UN Mission in the Central African Republic and Chad (MINURCAT) 07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009 -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	93,616,216 - - 93,616,216
UN Support to the African Union Mission in Somalia (UNSOA) 07/01/2009 to 12/31/2009	36,828,639
Total Payable:	\$616,688,346
UN Mission in Sierra Leone (UNAMSIL) -Credit from cash balance as of 04/30/2009	(39,207,487)
UN Mission in Ethiopia and (Eritrea (UNMEE) -Credit from unencumbered balance and other income for the period ended 06/30/2008	<u>-</u>
African Union-UN Hybrid Operation in Darfur (UNAMID) Balance remaining after application of credit/overpayment period ended 06/30/200	(22,412,495)

financing of these operations and are due within thirty days of receipt of the note. Bank accounts to which payment may be made are contained in Annex Four.

- 13. Annex Three provides the legislative basis, the period covered, the gross and net amounts to be apportioned and the symbol of the document in which the details of the assessments of all member states will be reflected.
- 14. The credits from the unencumbered balances, other income and cash balance of 15 peacekeeping operations are indicated in Annex Two. In accordance with the respective General Assembly resolutions, these amounts will be set off against the respective current assessments of Member States that have fulfilled their financial obligations. For Member States that have not fulfilled their financial obligations to the respective Missions, the credits will be first applied to their outstanding obligations and only the remainder, if any, will be set off against the current assessments.
- 15. Any remaining credits for the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (UNAMSIL) and the United Nations Mission in Ethiopia and Eritrea (UNMEE) will be held in a suspense account pending receipt of the respective Governments' instructions for their disposition.
- 16. Action requested: Department is requested to facilitate payment of the peacekeeping missions noted above in paragraph 11.

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